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TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the Daily Republican will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered.

We would inform our subscribers that particular place they desire their papers to be sent.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce JOHN ULRICH, a candidate for member of the Board of Education, at the election June 8, 1875.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

Julianene soaps, at Imboden & Co.'s. Strawberries are scarce in market. Barnum is "not coming until June." A full line of the best brands of tea, at Niedermeyer's.

The sewage question is being ventilated.

"Garden truck" is getting plenty and cheap.

D. M. Barnett & Co. have a full line of choice syrups.

Old John Robinson's show is in Springfield to day.

Let those wishing pure drugs call at W. C. Armstrong's.

The rain of yesterday made the ground too wet to be worked to advantage.

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Gas Well Discovered.—Dr. Millison has shown us a letter, clippings from the Journal of Commerce, published at Kansas City, which gives an interesting account of a gas well, which has recently been discovered at Wyndotte, a town in Kansas, a few miles from Kansas City. It seems that the well was discovered by a company buying for coal, and the escape of gas is estimated to be 250,000 feet daily. The noise made by the escaping gas is like that of escaping steam under high pressure, and may be heard at a distance of several hundred yards. Experiments testing the quality of the gas have been made by conducting it to a safe distance by means of a common gas pipe, and upon applying a torch to the end of the tube the volume of gas ignites quickly, sending up a bright, white flame, making a roaring flame somewhat like that of a burning building. The gas seems to be nearly odorless and not at all unpleasant.

A son-in-law of Dr. Millison's, upon whose land the well is situated, has distilled the subtle fluid by conducting it to his house, through a pipe of suitable capacity, where it does him service in the line of cooking. The last day's boring has opened a vein of very salt water, which is strongly impregnated with asphaltum, and it is believed that within the next hundred feet a thick vein of excellent coal will be struck—so that by one boring will be found the three important commodities, coal, salt and gas. This is certainly a great success as we most sanguine could hope for.

All approved patent medicines may be found at Snyder & Gue's.

And still they come and leave their meate with J. P. Match, for fine boots. He puts in good stock and makes perfect fits.

Order the St. Nicholas bus, and you will be sure to be on time in getting to the depot.

In calling at the residences of several of our citizens we had occasion to admire some beautiful patterns of new carpet lately put down, which, upon inquiry, we learned were bought at Abel & Locke's. We are told that their stock is very choice, both in style and quality.

Go to McElroy's for a square meal of hash. Vegetables and fruit always have a pleasant time.

B. F. Taylor has given his back a new dress in the shape of a new coat of paint and varnish. The interior has also undergone a thorough refitting, making it one of the best entries that runs to the depot. Mr. T. will attend promptly to all orders for passage to the depot, or for a drive about town.

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The Laux Bros. have just received a letter from Sedgwick county, Kansas, stating that the crops in that section of the country are very promising. Wheat is almost ready to be harvested, and corn is looking fine. The crops this year, the letter states, will be larger than ever known before, as there are no grasshoppers, chinch bugs, drouth or anything else to damage them. Some specimens of the wheat now growing in that section of the country, which were received with the letter, are very fine.

All the popular weeklies and monthlies at L. J. Davis & Co.'s.

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DECORATION DAY.

Sunday, May 20th.

"On Fair's eternal camping ground
Their silent tent is spread round
And Honor guards with solemn round
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After consultation of the several committees, it has been decided to have no regular order of parade, in view of the fact that the 30th day of May falls on Sunday. But all organizations, societies, and citizens are cordially invited to participate in the exercises of the day, as organizations or as citizens, at the option.

The usual exercises at the cemetery will commence at 4 o'clock, p. m.

The scarcity of flowers compels the committee on decoration to urge upon all persons who feel an interest in the performance of these beautiful ceremonies, to bring all the flowers and evergreens, to which they can spare to the Library Rooms, on Sunday morning.

COMMITTEE.

Religious Notice.—The Presbyterian Church is closed for slight repairs.—There will be no services there to-morrow except Sabbath School, which will be held at the usual hour—2 p. m.

The ladies of the Church are requested to meet in the lecture room on Monday, at 4 p. m.

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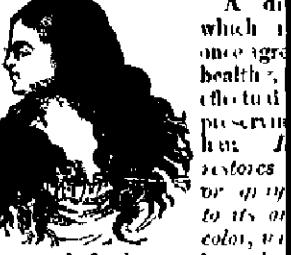
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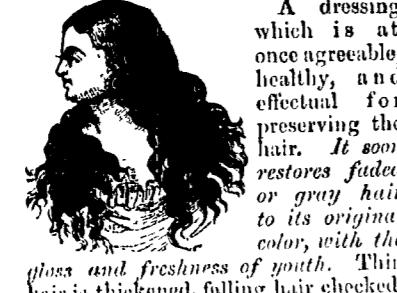
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The Daily Republican.

HAMMER & MOSSER,
Publishers.DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Saturday, Evening May 29.

The last issue of *Harper's Weekly* contains an admirable review of the scandal trial, doubtless from the pen of George William Curtis. It closes with the sentence: "The arrow was well fashioned, the bow well bent, but the destroyer failed of his purpose; and when posterity, wiser than we, reads the history of this case, it will honor, not less than the noble achievements of Henry Ward Beecher's noble life, the no less noble failure of the patience and magnanimity of his only too chivalric and unhappily unsuccessful endeavor to shield all the other hearts that would ache from the publication of the famous Brooklyn scandal."

ONE of the most important papers read at the recent Social Science Convention at Detroit had reference to the noticeable decline in the emigration from Europe to this country. From statistics presented it appears that the tide from Europe to the United States was highest in 1854, when the arrivals numbered 427,333. In 1873 they were about 386,000, and in 1874, 200,000. The rule, tersely stated, is that bad times in Europe regularly increase, and bad times in America invariably diminish immigration. In 1872, 50,000 English immigrants came to this country, and a repetition of these figures is expected when times are better. Germany has already sent us more than 2,500,000 of people, and will, no doubt, continue to be our largest source of supply. The laws of the Empire relating to the military service and conscription, together with the prevailing fear of further Continental wars, stimulate emigration more than all other considerations combined. Some authorities place the economic value of each immigrant as a factor in the productive power of the country at \$1,125. Others consider this too high and fix it at \$800, while other statisticians reach still different results. It is probable that the value of the average unskilled immigrant has somewhat declined of late years, in consequence of the plethora of unemployed labor and the obstinacy with which Irish and other unskilled laborers persist in concentrating themselves in large cities instead of scattering through the country, where agricultural labor is so much wanted.

SNIDE.

BY MERCUTIO.

This is a gilded age, gilt-edged and done up in gold foil. It is sparkling and brilliant to look at, but to the close observer how often it is nothing but snide. That word snide has a portentous meaning. If there is a word in the English language that is pregnant with meaning it is *snide*. The pronunciation of it makes a fellow feel spurious, bogus, and like he wanted to galvanize something. I say the age is highly varnished, polished up, and shines. So has every other age been and will be. There is the genuine always, it is true, but how much more winning and stunning it the other. Milliners make birds and flowers, and gewgaws, and such, more natural than nature. They out-Herod old Herod himself, with still a few townships to hear from. They are flashy and highly colored, but snide for all that. You take a pigeon-tailed, kid-gloved, scarlet-tied, patent-leathered gentleman, one of those Frenchy, masqued sort, whose very watch-fob has millions in it, his very tread of pomposity resounds with "snide, snide, snide." He is a walking bonanza or snide. He toils not, neither does he spin, and his lily-white hand twirls a foolish little cane, all snide. He meets but few people he dares condescend to speak to, and these he is devilish glad to meet, "bwby Jove." He sports a little love of a moustache, rolled up and pointed, the ends of which are deftly directed skyward, and thinks its stunning, "bwby Jupiter"—but it is all snide. His hair he curls and frizzles, and pastes and scrambles, and thinks it is fearfully and wonderfully captivating, "bwby thunder"—but it grows in snide soil. His daily walk and conversation, food, raiment and drink are all snide.

LATEST DETAILS.

Louis Desjardin, 54 years old, whose wife and daughter were both buried to death, became insane to day from grief, and died continually in agonizing terrors. "My Julie, my Julie!" Some were taken alive who were under others that were dead, and who died to this fact their own salvation.

The latest revised figures concerning the losses by the Holyoke disaster, 47 dead, 71 fatally burned, 23 otherwise burned and wounded, 27. Of the 71 dead, 55 were females, and 16 males.

The most protracted case of suffering was that of Mary Desjardin, who turned past all recognition and blind, somehow found her way to the hill north of the church, and wandered

around there about twenty minutes before found and taken to her home, where she died about 11 o'clock this morning, having lingered 15 hours in terrible agony.

The fate of Amminia Monier and her lover, was the touching event of the fire. She was organist for the evening, in the absence of the organ, and was cut off from escape when the church burned. Her lover escaped, but finding that she was still within turned to rescue her and was overcome with the flames and perished with her.

SCANDAL.

Everts Continues His Speedy all Day.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Mr. Everts continued his address this morning in the Beecher-Tilton trial. He said that what he was asking the jury's attention to was the law required as a legal certainty having an influence on the happiness of others. There were some relations between Beecher and Tilton which were a part of the case. These relations partook of the nature of those which should exist at all times between the clergyman and parishioner. The number of visits during the many years of the confused intimacy is here limited to but one in five or six weeks. There was no evidence that Beecher saw her, however; to say that the presence of a married woman in a clergyman's house in day time would be evidence of eligibility, would shock not only the sense of decency, but also of fairness. What were these seductive arts, and what the corrupting arts that Beecher used? They ranged from books to flowers sent to the chamber of a woman in confinement; flowers sent to a lady in her house; flowers whose perfume delighted every person in the house. I don't think you will find these flowers, given in a full open tray, in which evidence has shown, will in any way affect your judgment.

Counsel then called the jury's attention to observe of the affirmative fact of the want of any direct evidence bearing on the criminality of these two persons. Counsel then commented on Judson's testimony in relation to having lunch with Tilton at Delmonico's, when the latter stated that he had lost all faith in man, in reply to Judson, who spoke of the stories of Beecher's sexual immorality. Judson told Beecher what Tilton said. Beecher called Tilton to account but he denied it. Tilton wrote two letters, one to Beecher and one to Judson. In the letter he said, "I thought you were my friend." "So I am," returned Judson, "but I am also a friend of Beecher." The assassination carried out by means of calumny was a base and ignoble form of assassination. It was full of cowardice, and was full of wicked results. Tilton spent Christmas in preparing the letter, which he said was to strike terror to the heart of Beecher. How manifld and merciless was the fold of the serpent when it entwined its victim. Having entreated Judson never to speak to him again, or be a friend to him any longer, Tilton wrote a letter to Beecher, speaking of their friendship since their boyhood, declaring that the debt he (Tilton) owed him, he could never pay, dwelling on the hours they had spent together, and the intermingling of laughter and tears, and asking that whatever he (Tilton) had done to offend him (Beecher) he wished him to blot from his mind, and if he (Tilton) was taken away, exhorted him to love Elizabeth.

Counsel then discussed the character of the cross-examination, and dwelt on Tilton's denial of his having gray hairs in his head at a certain time, when he had forgotten having written a letter before that period about his gray hairs brought down in sorrow to the grave. Counsel applied to Martin's testimony the Latin quotation, "Prolis in uno fatus in omnibus." Tilton had shown himself false in everything, therefore the converse of this proposition to him when he affirmed the confession was made.

Everts then read from Tilton's testimony with reference to Bowen telling him in June, 1862, that Beecher had been guilty of acts of adultery, begun in Indianapolis and continued since. Tilton believed Bowen, the jury must assume that Beecher and Mrs. Tilton were under sharp observation in the winter of 1870. Beecher took Mrs. Tilton with him and urged his wife to go driving with Beecher. This was the second year after the alleged offense had been committed.

Counsel then spoke of the contention visited by both the English people and ourselves, on the husband of an adulteress. He said there were but two words in the language known to describe it, one, "guilty," and the other, "wifel," but both signified contempt. Under the old Roman law for prostitutes, people who pandered to licentious passions were severely punished, and the husband took back and lived with his wife who had committed adultery, he was punished with the woman being a panderer. Tilton had watched his wife for ten years after he had been put on his guard by Bowen. Now would Tilton, if he brought this charge truthfully, as he believed, against his wife, take to himself the dark stain of English appellation or strongest language of Roman condemnation?

After recess, Everts alluded to the testimony of that faithful old servant, Kate McDonald, who, though called by the Tilton party, and attached to that side, could not give one fact to show undue familiarity between Beecher and Mrs. Tilton. No testimony was given on this point for the simple reason that language of Mrs. Merse, he could not

find in the broken household of Mrs. Tilton, food to nourish his brain. Court then adjourned till Tuesday.

CASUALTIES.

Four Children Burned to Death by Coal Oil Explosion.

Oshkosh has a Narrow Escape from Another Big Fire.

CINCINNATI, May 29.—Four children, one an infant of S. M. Christian, of Versailles, Ohio, were burned to death last Wednesday, by the explosion of coal oil, with which one of them was endeavoring to kindle a fire.

WHEELING, W. Va., May 28.—The Riverside nail plate mill and new nail factory burned this afternoon. Loss, \$75,000, is insured to about full amount.

MILWAUKEE, May 28.—Chapman's mill, at Oshkosh, burned to-day. Loss, \$10,000; no insurance. The sudden change in wind alone prevented sweeping conflagration through the part of the city not consumed by the recent fire.

WORCESTER, Mass., May 28.—A fire broke out in the furniture and upholstering establishment of John B. Chaffee—Taylor Building, Main street—this evening. Building almost entirely consumed. Total loss \$265,000; insurance, \$125,000.

CLEVELAND, May 28.—This evening the Northern Ohio Wooden Mills, Pleasant street, burned. The loss is estimated \$60,000; insurance, \$20,000. A small portion of the building was saved.

FOREIGN.

Account of Terrible Earthquake in Asia Minor.

150 Lives Lost and 150 Persons Injured.

LAROCHE, May 28.—The Levant Herald says a series of terrible earthquakes have occurred in the province of Béronne, Asia Minor, and 600 houses have been destroyed. The account already received show that one hundred and fifty lives were lost, and one hundred and eighty persons injured.

ON TUESDAY, JUNE 13, 1873,

An excursion train will run from Pekin to St. Louis, passing Decatur at 12:30 p.m., reaching St. Louis at 4:30 p.m. Fare from Decatur, \$3.00. Returning, will leave St. Louis at \$3.00 p.m., Wednesday, June 13. Those wishing to remain a longer time in St. Louis can do so, as their tickets are good on any passenger train over the T. & W. & W. until Saturday, June 13. Tickets for sale at W. H. Abbott's jewelry store, No. 9 West Main street, 12:30 p.m.

SENSATION!

The latest elegant Scroll Patterns in Tapestry Brussels, just received by Abel & Locke.

Correction.—I having been reported that I keep a second-hand furniture store, I take this method of correcting such report. I keep nothing but the best goods and by selling them so low may have caused some to think them second hand. Don't be alarmed, I have plenty now at the same price. Great reduction on spring beds and mattresses. Priest House block.

May 25-26 L. A. DRAKE.

NEW SPRING STYLES

MADAME DEMOREST'S PATTERNS

ALSO,

MR. BOY'S CORSET,

THE JACQUELINE CORSET,

— AND —

A Job Lot of Corsets,

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April 1st LINN & SCRUGGS

Wanted.—Two good tailresses to make custom work, to whom steady work and good wages will be given. Apply in Central block, opposite Priest's hotel.

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Excursion Tickets from Quincy to Denver, Colorado.

For the benefit of health and pleasure seekers, and all those wishing to "Go West," the "Old Reliable" Hannibal and St. Joseph "Short Line" have placed on sale round trip tickets, from Quincy to Denver and return gold for three months from date of issue, at greatly reduced rates.

All the counsel's evidence showed the false peace which existed in Tilton's family was not caused by the interference of Beecher's party. He said Tilton's statements that were made for the sake of Beecher were false. Counsel had placed a weight of damning evidence against Tilton's character before the jury. No hate letters had been offered or pretended to have been exchanged between Beecher and Mrs. Tilton up to the date of December, 1870. Many of these letters, however, were given to Mr. Tilton, which he had no right to do, as he was a witness in the trial, and he was compelled to give them to the jury.

This popular Route is acknowledged by all to be the best equipped and best maintained west of the Mississippi River.

Riding the fast Pastor Cars in the world on day express trains, and Pullman's Palace Drawing Room Sleeping Cars on all kinds.

All express trains are equipped with ice water, fruit, Patent Air Brake and Miles Patent Safety Brake and Clutch.

The cars are the best possible construction, a large portion of it being recently re-built with STEEL RAILS. Iron and stone bridges have taken the place of wood, and all other improvements conducive to the safety and comfort of its passengers have been adopted.

For any further information in regard to rates, time, etc., please apply to

E. A. PARKER, Gen. Pass. Ag't,

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For choice peacock potatoes, go to Newell & Hammer's.

CASH STORE

OUR NEW SPRING STOCK

DRY GOODS

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Our House is full from cellar to garret, comprising not only all kinds of Domestic Goods, but all the Novelties of the season.

Our prices are, as usual, LOWER THAN ANY ONE ELSE.

HAYS & BRUCE.

April 29, 1873-dawn.

NEW SPRING GOODS!

S. EINSTEIN

Has returned with new

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

of the very latest styles. He has taken especial pains in selecting his stock of Spring Goods, consisting of

DRESS GOODS,

BLACK ALPACAS,

PLAIN AND COLORED SILKS;

(All shades.)

New shade of —

LUSTERS:

Also, a full line of

TRIMMING SILKS.

Our stock of WHITE GOODS, MARSEILLE, PERCALE, cannot be surpassed in any market. We also have a full line of Notions; latest styles of Ladies' and Gents' TIES, RUCHES, RIBBONS, in plaid, plain and embroidered.

A complete line of HOSIERY for Ladies and Gents.

A full line of CORSETS, from 50c up.

He invites all to call and examine his Stock. He will offer extra inducements for the next Thirty Days, in all Departments. By calling, you will see he is determined not to be undersold.

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE:

No. 21 NORTH WATER STREET.

March 29, 1873-dawn.

KEYSTONE CARRIAGE WORKS!

WAYNE BROTHERS,

MANUFACTURERS OF

CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, OMNIBUSES,

PEDDLING AND SPRING WAGONS.

OLD STAND OF DANIEL GAHMAN,

Corner Water and Cerro Gordo-Sts.

PLATFORM CARRIAGES built to order. PONY PHLETONS, PRINCE ALBERTS, PLAIN AND COAL BOX BUGGIES, SULKY AND LIGHT LOAD WAGONS, of all kinds. Always up to the times, and guarantee all work to be first-class. All kinds of

JOHN HANNIBAL'S.

In calling at the residences of

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Upon inquiry, we learned were at

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The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Saturday Evening, May 29.

The DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at Twenty Cents per Week.
Local Notices will be inserted at Ten Cents per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce JOHN GLASSCO, a candidate for member of the Board of Education, at the election June 8, 1875.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

Juliennae soups, at Imboden & Co.'s. Strawberries are scarce in market. Barnum is "not coming until June." A full line of the best brands of tea, at Niedermeyer's.

The sewage question is being ventilated.

"Garden truck" is getting plenty and cheap.

D. M. Barnett & Co. have a full line of choice syrups.

Old John Robinson's show is in Springfield to-day.

Let those wishing pure drugs call at W. C. Armstrong's.

The rain of yesterday made the ground too wet to be worked to advantage.

Rev. J. C. Bonham returned from his vacation trip last night, and will fill his pulpit to-morrow.

Best Java coffee in the market, at Lewis & Milligan's.

The growth of corn is very rapid, and though planted two weeks later than last year, if warm weather continues it will be as advanced by the first of July as it was last year at that date.

Choice butter and fresh eggs, at Adams & Boudreux's.

The human heart divine" is most prettily delineated in the splendid pictures taken by Seibert, at his new rooms on Merchant street. Call and give him a sitting.

Stephens' bread and pastry are very much liked by all.

Many of the citizens residing on South Macon street are having boulevards placed in front of their residences. This street, lined with fine houses, is without exception the most beautiful in the city, and will still be improved in appearance by these boulevards.

When you want to buy jewelry, silks, watch, clock, or a pair of spectacles, go to Curtis & Righter's. It will pay you.

When you want a choice cigar, call on Kepler.

The fact of the ground being too wet for cultivating corn released the country people from work and large numbers of them have found their way to the city to day. Trade in all the stores is unusually lively, probably being larger in the aggregate than that of any previous Saturday this season.

All approved patent medicines may be found at Snyder & Gue's.

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In calling at the residences of several of our citizens we have had occasion to admire some beautiful patterns of new carpet lately put down, which, upon inquiry, we learned were bought at Abel & Locke's. We are told that their stock is very choice, both in style and quality.

Go to McGarry's for a square meal or lunch. Vegetables and fruit always given.

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Lost.—At or near the opera house, on Tuesday evening, May 25th, a lady's applique point lace handkerchief. A liberal reward will be given to any one returning it to the Central House. 28-dwt

Festival Continued.—The strawberry and ice cream festival given by the ladies of the First M. E. Church last evening was a very pleasant affair; and those present enjoyed the occasion so much that the ladies have concluded to continue it this evening. The evening being fine everybody will want to go, and we shall look for a crowded house. Admission, 10 cents.

All the popular weeklies and monthlies at L. J. Davis & Co.'s.

Barber & Co. have recently made large additions to their very select stock of boots and shoes. Their variety of goods for ladies' and children's wear cannot be excelled in the city in extent or quality. Prices on all goods always at low water mark.

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DECORATION DAY.

Sunday, May 30th.

"On Fame's eternal camping ground
Where bugles blow and bugles blare,
And Honor guards with solemn round;
The bivouac of the Dead."

After consultation of the several committees, it has been decided to have no regular order of parade, in view of the fact that the 30th day of May falls on Sunday. But all organizations, societies, and citizens are cordially invited to participate in the exercises of the day, as organizations or as citizens, at their option.

The usual exercises at the cemetery will commence at 4 o'clock, p. m.

The scarcity of flowers compels the committee on decoration to urge upon all persons who feel an interest in the performance of these beautiful ceremonies, to bring all the flowers and evergreens they can spare to the Library Rooms, on Sunday morning.

COMMITTEE.

Religious Notice.—The Presbyterian Church is closed for slight repairs. There will be no services there to-morrow except Sabbath School, which will be held at the usual hour—2 p. m. The studies of the Church are requested to meet in the lecture room on Monday, at 4 p. m.

Universalist Church.—Services at the Universalist Church to-morrow at the usual hours. Subject in the evening, "Communion with the Dead." All are invited to attend.

Christian Church.—Elder J. G. Waggoner, of Hinsdale, will occupy the pulpit at this church to-morrow morning and evening.

Preaching at the First M. E. Church to-morrow at 10:30 A. M., and 7:45 p. m., by the pastor, Rev. Horace Reed. Subject in the morning, "Break of Trust," and in the evening, "The drink for the thirsty." All the seats free.

Gas Well Discovered.—Dr. Millison has shown us a letter, clipped from the Journal of Commerce, published at Kansas City, which gives an interesting account of a gas well, which has recently been discovered at Wyandotte, a town in Kansas City. It seems that the well was discovered by a company boeing for coal, and the escape of gas is estimated to be 250,000 feet each day. The noise made by the escaping gas is like that of escaping steam under high pressure, and may be heard at a distance of several hundred yards. Experiments testing the quality of the gas have been made by conducting it to a safe distance by means of a common gas pipe, and upon applying a torch to the end of the tube the volume of gas ignites quickly, sending up a bright, white flame, making a roasting flame somewhat like that of a burning building. The gas seems to be nearly odorless and not at all unpleasant.

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SEWERAGE AGAIN.

In his article published in your daily of Wednesday, M. F. says: "If any one has doubted the necessity of sewerage, the last flood ought to be sufficient to convince him of the error of his ways."

It might as well have said the flood should have convinced one of the necessity of having a good roof on his dwelling; for in all parts of the city this "flood" poured through roofs previously thought to be water-proof as though they were many sieves. One man, who had finished a shed roof the day before, said it appeared to him the water came through his new roof faster than it rained out doors. In a less degree this was the experience in every part of town. Yet, singularly enough, in this day of praying for public benefits, not one of those sufferers has asked the city fathers to make him a new roof, or repair his old one at the expense of the corporation.

This would be a full and sufficient answer to the main points of Mr. F.'s article on "Sewerage." With proper construction these faulty roofs would not have leaked a drop; and so, too, with sufficient outlay at the start, and with proper care afterwards, the ceilings in the business part of the city, and the "hotel cesspool" (the latter seemed to have weighed heavily on the mind of M. F.)—would not have suffered from the flood. I repeat, the above is a sufficient answer to the article in question for all practical purposes. But as M. F. has doubt, had some trouble in getting his article reprinted into tolerably good English, as he uttered some personal charges and abuses that deserve a passing notice, and more especially as he thought his article so good and unanswerable that he busied himself circulating extra copies of your paper—personally pointing out his *pique* to the recipients—I shall extend the usual charity. If, however, some others, who have had opportunities to study me personally and fully, should repeat the charges and epithets intended in part, and perhaps mainly for myself, I would feel called upon to publicly denounce them as wilful and malicious falsifiers.

In conclusion I would say, it may be that the abuse and misrepresentation indulged in towards myself and others, by M. F., are sincere. Speaking pretty freely myself, and often somewhat at random when excited or much interested in a subject, I am sufficiently charitable to allow much latitude of speech in others. Therefore, not knowing the data, altogether, upon which M. F. forms his opinion of those who differ with him on this sewerage question, I shall extend the usual charity. If, however, some others, who have had opportunities to study me personally and fully, should repeat the charges and epithets intended in part, and perhaps mainly for myself, I would feel called upon to publicly denounce them as wilful and malicious falsifiers.

SHOOTING MATCH.

The members of the Decatur Shooting Association prepared for the regular match yesterday afternoon at about two o'clock, but as a driving rain set in at that time they concluded to postpone it. A few hours later the sky cleared off and the members re-assembled, repaired to the fair grounds, and the shooting for that prize medal commenced. The distance from the trap each marksman stood was, as heretofore, 21 yards, with a boundary of 80 yards.

The shooting was finished at about seven o'clock when Mt. A. H. Locke, the Secretary of the association, read the score as follows:

R. V. Baker out of 8 birds, 7
Geo. B. Phinney " 8 " 4
J. M. Caldwell " 8 " 5
D. J. Murphy " 8 " 4
J. A. Merriweather " 8 " 6
W. C. Dunnigan " 8 " 8
Fred. Norman " 8 " 5
A. H. Locke " 8 " 5
Andrew Kepler " 8 " 3
Robert Noland " 7 " 6
John W. Haworth " 7 " 5

As is seen by the above score Dunnigan is the champion, and he received the medal from Preston J. Murphy, who lost all the laurels he won at the last match. Baker killed eight birds, but only one of them falling outside of the line, he only scored seven.

Mr. Noland, who was admitted as an honorary member of the club a few days since, is a known "professional," and would probably make a successful competitor in a match with Dr. Waddams.

Residence Lots for Sale.—The under signed will now offer for sale lots in Survey of Block 8, Read & Co.'s Addition to Decatur, better known as the late residence of Dr. Read, deceased.—Any information in regard to the above lots can be had by calling on James A. Read, at the Banking House of Pedder & Burrows, and the mechanic, who can scarcely

make ends meet; and a host of others here and there all over the city who cannot possibly lay by anything from year to year; yet M. F. and his backsliders in the sewerage project would have them all taxed for the purpose of draining this hotel's cesspool and a few cel-lars in a certain local district.

But the subject is by far too extensive to fully consider in our article. If those favoring this local sewerage system continue to force their project upon the attention of our city authorities, it will be the duty of some one to honestly and faithfully give the other side of the question. If no one else will undertake this task our present correspondent will organic, are obliterated by this matchless vegetable tonic and alterative, who cares for opinions?

For Sale.—V. H. Park has a family horse, jump-set buggy and harness, for sale at a bargain. Buggy and harness nearly new. Enquire of G. M. Bruce, or at No. 23 West William street. May 25-dwt

A word or two now upon the insinuations and personalities aimed at some of those who oppose this sewerage. An effort is unmistakably made to place them in a false light before the city council, and to prejudice the latter against them. So far as I know of conversations and consultations touching the question, I have never heard the least intimation from anyone that could be construed into a reflection upon the honor or integrity of the council, either in their collective or individual capacity. So far as I am concerned I hold those with whom I am personally acquainted in high esteem; and nothing has been farther from my thoughts than the idea that any of them would be guilty of advocating this sewerage system merely for the purpose of getting a "

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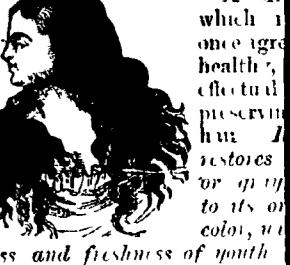
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